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**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

Sami KEKKI et al.

Art Unit: 2654

Application No.: 09/882,949

Examiner: David D. Knepper

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For: BOOSTING OF DATA TRANSMISSION

**AMENDMENT AND SUBMISSION**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

The subject submission is in response to the Official Action dated July 30, 2003, and the comments contained in the Advisory Action dated December 3, 2003, in the above-referenced application. This submission accompanies a Request for Continued Examination being filed herewith, and includes an appropriate extension of time. This Submission and Amendment is being submitted in accordance with the amendment format as set forth in 68 Fed. Reg. 38611 dated June 30, 2003.

**Amendments to the claims are submitted on page 2.**

**Remarks are submitted on page 7.**